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## ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

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Draft Response to Request from Rep. Steny Hoyer

FROM:

John M. Ray  
Director of Logi

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Reference: Letter to D/OCA fm  
Steny H. Hoyer,  
dtd 26 Feb 87.  
Subject: Concern for  
substandard construction  
bolts for building  
projects at the CIA.  
(OCA 87-0801)

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STAT In response to your letter of 26 February 1987, we have conducted a review to determine whether similar bolts are being used for structural application within the Agency compound. Our review focused primarily in the area where [ ] apparently found the bolt. It included discussions with the project manager of our Route 123 Visitor Control Center, the project security officer, the electrical contractor, and our own maintenance staff. We have also looked at the other construction activities within the compound. Because it was found at the Rt. 123 gate, we do not believe this type of bolt is associated with these other projects. All construction traffic for these projects enter another gate designated for construction traffic--not the Rt. 123 gate. However, as a precaution, we are directing all of our construction monitors to be alert for the use of such bolts.

STAT The new Visitor Control Center (VCC), now under construction, is located along the Route 123 entrance road to our compound and appears to be where [ ] found the bolt. We inspected the bolts used in the light standards and light bases in the area. We found that only the specified steel bolts were used. In addition, we questioned the project manager, site security officer, and the electrical contractor's foreman regarding the bolt submitted by [ ] All of these individuals monitor the progress of construction very closely; none had any knowledge of the bolt.

STAT Visual examination of the bolt suggests that it is not meant for use in structural applications. Our maintenance mechanics inspected the bolt

STAT provided by [ ] it appears to be a machine bolt made of aluminum or another light alloy material. Because of its physical appearance and weight, this bolt could not be mistaken for a structural steel bolt. The bolt does not appear to be counterfeit. It could have many legitimate, specialized applications such as in automobiles, tractors, or grounds maintenance vehicles which regularly traverse this area.

STAT We appreciate the interest and concern shown by [ ] particularly since they reflect those of our staff; i.e., to obtain a quality product at an honest cost to the taxpayer. Should we ascertain in the future that this type of bolt was used in some specialized application on our compound, we will notify your office of that fact.

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#4 - MS prepare a draft response.  
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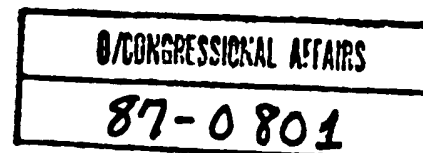
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February 26, 1987



STAT

[Redacted]  
Director  
Legislative Liaison  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505

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Dear [Redacted]

STAT

Enclosed is a copy of the letter which I received from [Redacted]  
regarding his concern for substandard construction bolts for building  
projects at the Central Intelligence Agency facility.

STAT

I can certainly appreciate [Redacted] concern and I am enclosing the  
bolt he picked up at the site. I would appreciate your checking into  
this situation and providing guidance for my response.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

*Steny Hoyer*  
STENY H. HOYER

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